IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

WEDNESDAY, THE 12TH DECEMBER 2007 / 21ST AGRAHAYANA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 7658 of 2007()

CMP.3934/2007 of J.M.F.C.,RANNI
CRIME 387/07 OF RANNI POLICE STATION

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PETITIONER

M.C.VARGHESE, MANAPPURATHU VEEDU,
VETTIPPURAM, PATHANAMTHITTA VILLAGE,
PATHANAMTHITTA.

BY ADV. SRI.THOMAS ABRAHAM
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RESPONDENTS:

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1. STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.

2. SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE, RANNI POLICE STATION, PATHANAMTHITTA DISTRICT.

3. M.C.MATHEW, MANAPPURATHU VEEDU, UTHIMOODU, RANNI VILLAGE, RANNI.

4. LEENA MATHEW, W/O.M.C.MATHEW, MANAPPURATHU VEEDU, UTHIMOODU, RANNI VILLAGE, RANNI.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR ADV.SRI.S.U.NAZER

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 12/12/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R. BASANT, J.

B.A. No. 7658 OF 2007

Dated this the 12th day of December, 2007

O R D E R

Application for anticipatory bail. Petitioner faces allegations in a crime registered as Crime No.387/07 of Ranni police station for offences punishable, inter alia, under Section 451 IPC. The crime has been registered on the basis of a private complaint filed before the learned Magistrate and referred to the police under Section 156(3) Cr.P.C.

2. The learned Public Prosecutor, after taking instructions, submits that while it is true that the crime has been registered against the petitioner, all offences alleged against the petitioner are bailable offences and the petitioner need not apprehend arrest on the allegation that he has committed any non-bailable offence. The submission of the learned Public Prosecutor is taken note of and hereby recorded. The apprehension of the petitioner is now found to be without any basis. The petitioner can surrender before the learned Magistrate or the police and claim bail under Section 436 Cr.P.C. This petition is accordingly dismissed.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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